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DADE CITY, Fla. - The No. 9-ranked Armstrong State University men's golf team fired a first-round 296 on Monday to sit in 16th place at the Saint Leo Men's Golf Invitational at Lake Jovita Golf Club in Dade City, Fla.

The first day of competition at the tournament was originally scheduled to play 36 holes but a lightning delay just past 12:30 p.m. halted play in the first round. Teams did not resume play until 4:45 p.m., so the second round of action was cancelled and teams finished just one round of 18 holes on Monday.

No. 10-ranked North Alabama leads by one stroke after carding a first-round 273 on Monday, just ahead of No. 5 Lynn (274). No. 7-ranked USC Aiken and No. 12-ranked Columbus State (276) are tied for third while host and No. 24-ranked Saint Leo (281) rounds out the top five schools.

For the Pirates, junior **Howard Hickey** and freshman Reid Rahtburn each shot one-over-par 73 totals to sit tied for 48th individually after Monday's first round of action. Freshman **Tyler Key** shot a 74 and is tied for 60th, while senior **Cory Griffin** shot a 76 and is tied for 72nd. Senior **Travis Williamson** shot an 80 and is tied for 92nd, rounding out the Pirates' scoring.

Play concludes at the Saint Leo Men's Golf Invitational with a single round of 18 holes on Tuesday beginning at 8:00 a.m.



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